Duke Memorial United Methodist Church

504 West Chapel Hill Street • Durham, North Carolina • 27701

In mission where life is broken. † In celebration where life is whole.

The Faith We Sing: A Hymn Festival Sixteenth Sunday After Pentecost September 8, 2002

TOWER BELLS

10:30 am

WORSHIP

two minimes and sw. how lawress are 10:55 am

ENTRANCE AND PRAISE

OPENING VOLUNTARY

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL INTROIT

"Jubilate Servite"

Jacques Berthier

Jubilate Deo omnis terra, servite Domino in laetitia, Alleluia, Alleluia, in laetitia! Come, rejoice in God; praise him all the earth. Serve your God, gladly serve your God! Hallelujah, hallelujah, gladly serve your God!

WELCOME

You are warmly welcomed to Duke Memorial United Methodist Church. Please sign the registration pad when it is passed to you. As it returns, note who is seated on your pew so you may speak to them after the service. Visitors, please give us your telephone number so we may contact you in person.

GREETING

O sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth!

Sing to the Lord, bless God's name; proclaim God's salvation from day to day.

Declare the Lord's glory among the nations,

God's marvelous works among all the peoples!

For great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised!

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN "We Sing to You, O God"

DARWALL'S 148th

We sing to you, O God, the Rock who gave us birth, let our rejoicing sing your name in all the earth.

To you, O God, let songs be raised, in joyful hymns, our feast of praise.

We wandered far from home out in a desert land, you shielded with your love our fearful pilgrim band. You kept us safe within your arms and sheltered us against the storm.

You bear us through the world, an eagle to her young, who rises on her wings and bears us t'ward the sun.
We ride the vaults of light and air and trust in your unfailing care.

O God, eternal God, we hide within your wings, the everlasting arms to whom our praises ring. Your word is true, your way is just, you are the God in whom we trust.

*OPENING PRAYER

Eternal God, you give us breath and voice, with which we lift our songs of praise to you; you give us strength and hope, by which we sing without ceasing; and you offer us salvation, without which our song would be meaningless. Give us now the courage to sing boldly our faith, that others may come to know you and join all creation in praising your name. Amen.

ACT OF PRAISE Psalm 105:1-3

ANTHEM OF PRAISE "Glory to God" Peruvian; arr. Carlton Young Please join the choir on the final refrain as indicated by the Pastor.

Glory to God, glory to God, glory in the highest!

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Glory in the highest! Glory in the highest! Glory in the highest! Glory in the highest!

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus, to reach out and touch him, and say that we love him. Open our ears, Lord, and help us to listen. Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus.

We go to comfort those who mourn and set the burdened free; where hope is dim, to share a dream and help the blind to see.

We go to be the hands of Christ, to scatter joy like seed and, all our days, to cherish life, to do the loving deed.

Then let us go to serve in peace, the gospel to proclaim. God's Spirit has empowered us; we go in Jesus' name.

*DISMISSAL

You have come to hear the Word of God, now go and spread God's Word. You have come to sing God's praises, now go and sing God's praise. You have come to be with the people of God, now go and be God's people, now and forevermore. **Amen.**

*BENEDICTION "The Lord Bless and Keep You" Jim Strathdee Please join the choir after they have introduced the melody as indicated by the Pastor.

The Lord bless and keep you, the Lord make his face to shine on you and be gracious, gracious. The Lord bless and keep you, the Lord lift his countenance on you and give peace, give you peace. Amen.

*GOING FORTH

*CLOSING VOLUNTARY

Our service of worship has ended. Our worship through service begins.

*Congregation is invited to stand.

Large print bulletins, and sound enhancing devices are available for your use. Any usher will be glad to assist you.



We are a Stephen Ministry Congregation.

THE GENERAL RULE OF DISCIPLESHIP

To witness to Jesus Christ in the world, and to follow his teachings, through acts of compassion, justice, worship, and devotion, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit.

Our Pastoral Staff:

Ruth Harper Stevens, Senior Pastor R. Julian Irvine, Minister of Music/Worship Lisa Brown Cole, Associate Pastor

Ann C. Stallings, Minister of Nurture

Gina Roberts, Minister to Youth and College Age

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